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ST. LOUIS PLAN CONFIRMED.

PROJECTED RACE MEETING TO BE AN OBJECT LESSON FOR THE TOWN AND WEST.

Judge Murphy Gives Outline of the Project and Says It May Grow Into Powerful Racing Organization.

Buffalo, N. Y., August 18.—Concerning the proposed meeting to be held at the Fair Grounds, St. Louis, this fall, Joseph A. Murphy, who will be presiding judge, expressed himself this afternoon as follows:

"There has been a movement on foot at St. Louis for some weeks back to give a short running meeting at St. Louis under the auspices of the business men of the city. I was asked to take charge of it and, having some spare time between the close of Fort Erie and the opening of Hamilton, agreed to do so. There is a general demand in my home city for a short meeting each year that will be a sporting and society event pure and simple. It will probably result in the formation of a powerful jockey club composed of the business and society people of the city to take hold of the sport. However, I am not the promoter of the scheme, but will give it every assistance."

St. Louis, Mo., August 18.—All the right influences here will support Joseph A. Murphy's racing venture at the Fair Grounds, if that property can be secured. Barney Schreiber will be deeply interested. The object is to show Governor Folk and the entire state that racing of high class and worthy good patronage can be given in St. Louis. Later, if the meeting gets a fair share of patronage and much public approval, a new jockey club will be organized among St. Louis people of the best class and favorable legislation will be sought in the way of a limited racing law.

If such a law can be obtained the new organization will in all probability build and equip a new racing plant for St. Louis. It will be at Normandy, Mo., a suburb some fifteen miles from the center of St. Louis.

It is even declared here that when the Fair Grounds meeting is held—if it is held—the many handbooks now operating in St. Louis and vicinity will cease to operate during the racing term. The plans provide for six races daily for \$200 purses and there will be no trouble over horses. Plenty of the best are already promised.

It is thought here that it is the St. Louis experiment that will bring about a revival of racing on a track in Michigan near Chicago.

Of course, there will be betting, but it will be legal, unpublic and far less pernicious than unlimited handbooking. Betting will not be recognized by the new organization, which will pronounce against it and police the course so as to keep down the public side of what betting there is.

With racing on such lines and the bad features and persons of the past virtually eliminated, it is even opined that Governor Folk will not strenuously oppose the St. Louis racing experiment.

DULL DAY IN FORT ERIE RACING.

Lens Furnishes the Feature of the Day by Easily Winning the Main Race.

Buffalo, N. Y., August 18.—Another featureless and was productive of only ordinary racing at Fort Erie this afternoon. There was a noticeable falling off in the attendance as well as in the speculation. Only twenty-nine buyers, including the three holders, were in line. The prices quoted against the different horses were ridiculously short and occasioned much adverse comment. The talent given a severe setback by the defeats of their best supported choices.

The sixth race, at three-quarters, overshadowed the others for a class standpoint and resulted in a hollow victory for P. Dunne's Lens. The colt was making his first start in over a month and showed that his long rest had been beneficial by the easy manner in which he came away from his opponents. Lady Carol was the favorite in the race, and received sharp support. A plunge on Sal Volatile, owned by J. W. Colt, and making her first start here, threatened momentarily to install her favorite before post time, but Lady Carol's supporters again rallied and she retained the post of honor. The heavy support for the pair gave Lens' backers an opportunity to get a long price for their money. Lady Carol and Sal Volatile were the early leaders. The worst disappointment of the afternoon proved to be P. T. Chinn's Joe Gaiters. In the second race, he was considered the best betting proposition of the afternoon, but failed to get a place. Gerrymaner winning in a common canter from The Earl, with Zeola in third place.

Jockey Powers' failure to notice Chief Hayes finishing with a rush on the extreme outside was responsible for Alencon's defeat in the fourth race. Alencon, after leading all the way, was apparently an easy winner. The last sixteenth, in which Powers began easing him up and failed to notice Chief Hayes, enabling the latter to win by a half length. After the finish, Sam Louis, owner of Alencon, bid Chief Hayes up from an entered price of \$500 to \$800 and bought him.

Lajunesse, which had been purchased by E. A. Brennan from M. Goldblatt, made good for her new owner by taking the closing race as her rider pleased. After many attempts Waskie finally managed to find company that he could beat and did so.

Gerrymaner, winner of the second race, was purchased after his victory by J. C. Cahn for a reported price of \$1,500.

Jockey Powers showed a return to good form by piloting three winners. He has been engaged to ride Jack Atkin in the Empire City Handicap to be run at Yonkers on Saturday next. J. R. Keene has also contracted for his services to ride one of his representatives in the Futurity.

After Estella C. was bid up in yesterday's last race, Fred Luzader, acting for E. A. Brennan, claimed Lady Martha out of the race with a payment of \$1,000.

W. Snyder, who is assisting A. B. Dade here with the barrier, will dispatch the fields here on the closing day. Dade being forced to depart by his engagement to do the starting at Montreal.

The horses campaigned here by E. Alvey, in charge of Grover Baker, will be shipped to Montreal for the racing there. Colonel Bob, Hazel Thorpe, McChord, Prince Ahmed and Atrebar, which have been turned out at T. H. Stevens' farm for some time, will be put back in training and raced at the Douglas Park meeting.

M'GRATHIANA PASSES TO NEW OWNERS.

Lexington, Ky., August 18.—Colonel Milton Young sold M'Grathiana farm, 620 acres, to R. A. and W. S. Beasley this afternoon for something like \$100,000. This is practically the amount of Young's indebtedness. Possession is to be given January 1, 1909. The transaction leaves Young in good financial condition. He has 1,200 acres of land left and six head of horses. He will sell all the horses and figures they will net him at least \$40,000. This is the first sale of a breeding farm since the passage of the Hart-Agnew law, and is likewise the largest land deal since Haggin bought Elmhurst.

LAW STRICTLY ENFORCED AT YONKERS.

Nimbus Sets a New Record at Three-Quarters of a Mile in First Race.

New York, August 18.—The opening of the third day of the present meeting at Yonkers saw no falling off in public interest nor attendance, notwithstanding the edict had gone forth prohibiting the passing of any money for any purposes of wagers whatever. Settlements must not be made within the enclosure either before or after the races. All transactions involving the passing of money must be made outside of the race track. This order entails a handicap and great inconvenience on the already harassed race-goer.

Francis A. Winslow, the district attorney of Westchester county, was at the track today, accompanied by several of his deputies. Mr. Winslow told the press representatives gathered in the clubhouse that he intended to enforce the intent of the Hart-Agnew law to the letter by going after the professional bookmakers. That he regarded the acceptance of an oral bet by a professional as a violation of the law and the police have orders to arrest any such on sight. "I have cautioned the officers to be strict, but to use discretion, and that there must be no disorder up here," he said.

Tommy Byrnes, one of Tom Shaw's principal betting agents, was brought before District Attorney Winslow and searched. The only evidence of alleged recording of bets for the day was a program on which was written the two words "get mush." Byrnes explained that this was put there by him so that he would be reminded of his wife's request to buy a package of the cereal and forget it home for the baby. He was accordingly released. Shortly after the foregoing incident had taken place Mr. Winslow explained that the police would not hesitate to search any person suspected of having any memoranda of wagers in his possession. The day passed without a single arrest. George Rose was tipped off early and ceased operating.

Nimbus created a new American record for six furlongs today by winning the first race from Jacobite, Gretna Green and four others in 1:11. This was Nimbus' first appearance in the colors of his new owner, former jockey G. M. Odom, who only recently purchased the sensational Star Shoot gelding from Woodford Clay. Tom McGrath helped to make the record by setting the pace in the marvelous fast fractional time, by furlongs, of 11. 21. 33. 45. 57 seconds. Barney Schreiber's old cast-off retired after this prodigious feat and left Nimbus to come on with what speed he had in reserve and establish the fastest sprinting mark in the history of the turf on an elliptical mile course.

The result of the opener caused race-goers to anticipate fast time for the remainder of the day, but nothing out of the ordinary in that way developed except in the feature race, the Dunwoodie Stakes, at one mile, which was captured by the rejuvenated Spooner in 1:29.1, a new track record.

The customary feature of the two-year-old racing formed an important feature of the excellent card. The largest field of the meeting, nineteen, contested the first one decided. It was for maiden two-year-old fillies exclusively and George J. Long's Civita carried off the honors. Shil'g's defeat and skillful pilotage. In the second two-year-old attraction, H. R. Brandt sprang another Fitz Herbert, or what may be more correctly styled a near champion youngster in Harrigan. The former Madden colt displayed wonderful speed and in the closing such fast ones as Fore, Connaught Ranger and ten others at five and a half furlongs in 1:06.3. Harrigan amazed horsemen and spectators alike by carrying top weight of 113 pounds and galloping the distance under a full, the smallest of the afternoon contested the handicap at one mile and a sixteenth. It did not prove as one-sided an affair as the market indicated it would be. For Cressina, at 1 to 4, narrowly defeated her rival, the colt with Laughing Eyes overhauling her at every stride.

H. K. Knapp's colored apprentice jockey, H. Smith, distinguished himself by achieving a hard earned victory with Coat of Arms in the closing race at five furlongs. Charles, a turf light of other days, ran away three times the reverse way of the track before the start.

President Philip J. Dwyer of the Brooklyn Jockey Club was on the track yesterday and today in fine condition after his trip to Glenwood Springs and Colorado Springs, where he spent about three weeks recuperating. Mr. Dwyer had some encouraging news to give out to horsemen today. It was to the effect that the fall meeting at Gravesend would be run as originally scheduled. That all the forfeited stakes, the same as in past seasons at their full values, will be decided. The Sheephead Bay standard in the matter of overnight purses will be adhered to.

J. L. McGinnis is the latest and most important recruit to California winter racing. The great race horse, Frank Gill, will be nominated to the Burns Handicap and other rich stakes at Oakland. Mr. McGinnis will endeavor to secure jockey Joe Notter to ride for him.

Jack Baker has been reinstated by the stewards of the Jockey Club.

John E. Madden has quite an array of lockers under contract for the fall and winter. J. Lee, Sweet and Walter Miller until November 1.

FAVORITES SLAUGHTERED AT SEATTLE.

Seattle, Wash., August 18.—Followers of form played in tough luck at The Meadows today. Their troubles began with the running of the third race, which William Walker's Edwin Gum appeared to have so completely at his mercy that he ruled a top-heavy favorite, backed for thousands. He was put out of business by a collision with Mirzer on the first turn and pulled up a bad last and very lame. In the succeeding race Centre Shot, from the same stable, was backed with equal confidence at odds-on. An attack of bleeding after she had led for a half mile prevented her from finishing. The climax came in the closing race, when starter Dwyer left the heavily backed favorite, Margaret Randolph at the post.

It was exasperating to the filly's backers to see her run a winning race after starting fifteen or twenty lengths behind her opponents. She finished close up to the money, but got no part of it.

Achieve and Arcout, the former at prohibitive odds, scored as favorites, but neither came in for anything like the support lavished upon the trio of favorites that failed to finish. San Diego, Kokomo, the remaining favorite, could do no better than finish third with no mishaps. A small coterie of the smart bettors profited by the victory of Centre Shot in the handicap and Centre Shot's defeat was not so profitable to the books as might have been expected.

ENCOURAGING NEWS FROM CALIFORNIA.

New York, August 18.—Barney Schreiber today received the following satisfactory telegram from San Francisco:

"On August 11 we had our state primary for delegates to the state convention, nominating congressmen, and for delegates to the local convention to nominate superior judges, senators and assemblymen for the ensuing election. The Call and Bulletin made the issue the graft prosecution and Rudolph Spreckels, the father of the graft prosecution, headed the Lincoln-Roosevelt league in opposition to the regular republican organization, with the result that Mr. Spreckels and his Lincoln-Roosevelt league were nominally beaten in almost every precinct and district in the city, and, indeed, throughout the state. Boss McNab held the opposition democratic force under Theodore Bell by a tremendous majority so the so-called reform forces were completely wiped out in this state. The result of the primaries have this especial interest for you. It seems now that there is no possibility, for at least two years, of passing in this state an anti-race track bill."

NEW YORK FORM CHART.

(EMPIRE CITY.)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1908.

WEATHER CLEAR.

TRACK FAST.

Third day. Empire City Racing Association. Summer Meeting of 12 days.

Presiding Judge, Clarence McDowell. Starter, Mars Cassidy. Racing Secretary, Lyman H. Davis.

Racing starts at 2:30 p. m. (Chicago time 1:30 p. m.). W indicates whip, S spurs, B blinkers. Figures in parentheses following the distance of each race indicate index number, track record, age of horse and weight carried.

76580 FIRST RACE—3 1/4 Mile. (76548—1:12 1/2—3—108.) \$600 added. 3-year-olds and upward. Handicap. Net value to winner \$535.

Ind	Horses	AWt	PPSt	%	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S
76236	NIMBUS	WB	3	109	3	2	21	21	1 1/3	R McDan'l	G M Odom	13	516	63	1	1-2
76548	JACOBITE	WB	5	106	6	1	20k	30	3 1/2	C H Shil'g	C R Ellison	6	7	6	2	1
75816	GRETNA GREEN	W	4	117	7	7	7	5 1/2	Notter	J R Keene	8	10	8	3	8-5	
76230	TOM M'GRATH	W	3	110	1	4	11k	10k	2 1/2	McCabe	M Kraus	23	3	11	54	2-5
76131	PANTOUPLE	W	3	97	2	5	42	42	4 1/2	J Bergen	Miss Amarrone	7	8	7	2	6-5
76016	RIALTO	W	3	111	5	3	55	55	6 1/2	E Dugan	A J Joyner	21	3	13	51	1-2
76016	BALBUS	WB	3	115	4	6	60k	61	7 1/2	J Butler	G J Long	15	20	20	8	4

Winner—B. g. by Star Shoot—Lady Elite (trained by G. M. Odom).

Went to post at 2:33. At post 1 minute. Start good. Won driving; second and third the same. Nimbus was reserved in forward pursuit to the stretch, when he drew out, but tired and just lasted the journey. Jacobite, from a flying start, ran in striking distance pursuit and was carried wide on the stretch and finished with a belated rush. Gretna Green, away badly, trailed far in the rear early and, closing an immense gap in the last quarter, finished fastest of all. Tom McGrath set the pace for nearly five furlongs and quit badly. Pantouple, probably short, held on well throughout and is good. Rialto was never dangerous, but maintained his position well. Balbus showed speed for five furlongs.

Scratched—76562 James B. Brady, 103; 76563 Halket, 100; 76236 Alutda, 98.

Overweights—Balbus, 5 pounds.

76581 SECOND RACE—5 1/2 Furlongs. (21644—1:06—2—103.) \$500 added. 2-year-olds. Maidens. Fillies. Special Weights. Net value to winner \$590.

Ind	Horses		A	Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S	
76190	CIVITA	W	108	11	5		22	21	1 1/4	11	C. H. Shil'g	G. J. Long		2	2	8	5	3-5	1 1/2
76217	MARIANA	W	108	10	4		21 1/2	23	23	21	D. McThy	P. J. Dwyer		10	15	10			
76484	YANKEE DAUGHTER	W	108	8	6		7	7	4 1/2	32	W. Miller	C. R. Ellison		6	8	7	2	7	7-5
76486	MARY MARIUTCH	W	108	6	1		10	10	3 1/4	43	Lang	J. L. McGinnis		8	10	7	2	7	5
76484	MERISE	W	108	16	9		8	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	York	J. F. Smith		20	30	20	10		
75669	MERCAD DEL	W	108	3	12		10	6	6 1/2	8 1/2	Gilbert	T. P. Hayes		10	12	6	2	1	
	ADELAIDE R.	WB	108	1	2		5	8	8	7 1/2	McCahey	M. Kraus		30	30	20	8		
76552	ENERGY	W	108	5	10		9	9	9	9	Brussel	R. Angarola		20	20	20	8	4	
76427	GREENHOW	W	108	2	18		13	12	12	9	J. Butler	J. S. Tyree		30	30	30	10	5	
76241	ADELE C.	WB	108	15	11		6	10	10	10	Clements	W. N. Cooper		15	20	15	6	3	
	MICHAEL M. RIGGARDIN	W	108	13	11		11	11	11	11	G. Burns	B. & O. Stable		8	10	8	3	8-5	
76241	OCALA	WB	109	4	3		4	4	7 1/2	12	J. Lee	J. W. Ferguson		10	12	6	2	1	
76552	KIRIKINA	W	108	13	11		12	13	13	13	L. Johnson	J. H. McAvoy		20	30	20	10	5	
76552	KIN	WB	108	19	17		14	14	14	14	H. Smith	J. V. Jewell		20	30	20	10	5	
76217	SNIEFF	WB	108	7	15		16	15	15	15	R. McDan'l	P. Winner		12	16	12	6	2 1/2	
	BAY QUEEN	W	108	14	7		15	16	16	16	King	R. W. Nelson		30	30	20	10	5	
	ROSSLAIRE	W	108	18	16		18	17	17	17	E. Dugan	J. McManus		3	6	4	8	5-4	
	LA BELLE AGNES	W	108	12	14		17	18	18	18	Cole	G. J. West		30	50	50	20	10	
76552	DONZELLA	W	108	12	19		19	19	19	19	A. Lee	L. Mulligan		20	20	20	8	4	

Winner—B. f. by Alvescot—Ameeras (trained by P. Coyne).

Went to post at 3:01. At post 1 minute. Start good. Won driving; second and third the same. Civita, after forward pursuit from the start, drew out midway of the stretch and won going away. Mariana, well up from the start, was overtaken by Yankee Daughter began slowly and was outpaced to the stretch, but finished going fastest of all in a cracking effort. My Mariutche outpaced the others for five furlongs before she quit. Merise, away badly, closed an immense gap on the extreme outside. Mercadde, nearly led, made up ten lengths on the leaders while also running on the extreme outside. Adelaide R. by prompt early, was shuffled back at the half and gaining rapidly at the end. Energy finished close up. Greenhow, nearly left, steadily improved her position. Adele C. was shuffled to the rear. Ocala showed great speed in the middle running and was eased up at the end.

Overweights—Ocala, 1 pound.

76582 THIRD RACE—1 1/6 Miles. (21643—1:45 1/2—5—114.) \$900 added. 3-year-olds and upward. Fillies and Mares. Handicap. Net value to winner \$500.

Ind	Horses	AWt	PPSt	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S	
76236	CRESSINA	W	5	117	4	3	22	22	1 1/4	E. Dugan	A. J. Joyner	2	7	1	3	1-4
76742	LAUGHING EYES	WB	3	105	3	2	32	32	3 1/2	H. Smith	Chelsea Stable	6	8	7	7	5-out
76498	BECKON	WB	3	106	1	1	1 1/2	1 1/2	2 1/2	McCahey	B. Leigh Park's	5	6	6	7	10-out
76240	KILLIECRANKIE	W	4	95	2	4	4	4	4	York	W. C. Daly	12	15	12	2	2-out
Time, 12, 24 3/4, 36 1/2, 48 1/2, 1:00 1/4, 1:14 1/2, 1:48 1/2.																
Winner - B. m. by Watercress-Carina (trained by J. Schlosser).																
Went to post at 3:28. At post 4 minutes. Start good. Won driving; second and third the same.																
Cressina, after nearest pursuit, finished a draw, drew off seemingly an easy winner in the stretch,																
but was driving at the end to stall off Laughing Eyes, belated challenger. The latter, after the																
start, loomed up suddenly and menacingly in the last sixteenth and was wearing the favorite down at the																
end. Beckon outbroke and outpaced the others for nearly six furlongs, but quit badly in the closing drive,																
Killiecrankie was well up all the way, but outclassed.																
Scratched - 76563, Zircon, 109, 2:54 1/2.																
112																

Winner—B. m. by Watercross—Carina (trained by J. Schlessler).

Went to post at 3:28. At post 2 minutes. Start good. Won driving; second and third the same.

Cressina, after nearest pursuit in the early running, drew out seemingly an easy winner in the stretch. But was driving at the end to stall off Laughing Eyes' belated challenge. The latter, well up from the end, Beckon outpaced and outpaced the others for nearly six furlongs, but quit badly in the closing drive. Killiecrankie was well up all the way, but outclassed.

Scratched—76563 Zienap, 100; 76566 Comedienne, 112.

76583 FOURTH RACE—1 Mile. (76502—1:40—5—101.) Dunwoodie Stakes. \$1,500 added. 3-year-olds. Selling. Net value to winner \$2,165.

Ind	Horses	AWt	PPSt	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S
76048	SPOONER	W	101	4	3	13	13	1 1/2	D. McThy	F. Lemaire	5	6	6	2	1
76551	ARASEE	W	106	2	2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	H. Smith	S. Emery	5	6	6	2	1
76548	FRIZETTE	W	91	6	6	6	6	6 1/2	Upton	J. A. Wernberg	2	2	8	5	1-2
76422	THE SQUIRE	W	98	1	4	5 1/2	5 1/2	6 1/2	E. Dugan	T. Welsh	2	3	2	1	2-5
7571	MOMBASSA	W	101	5	4	4	4	3 1/2	McCahey	M. Kraus	30	30	20	8	3
76540	MAGAZINE	W	111	2	1	2 1/2	2 1/2	4 1/2	G. Burns	R. F. Carman	15	15	15	6	2

Winner—Ch. c. by Peep O'Day—Flirtineer (trained by M. Hirsch).

Went to post at 3:57. At post 1 minute. Start good. Won handily; second and third driving. Spooner drew out quickly, set a tremendous pace and was never headed. Arasee maintained throughout nearest, but unexciting, pursuit of the winner. Frizette, slow and on the extreme outside at the start, lost a half dozen lengths in the first quarter and closed a big gap in the last half, but could never get up. The Squire, badly outpaced for six furlongs, finished well and has improved. Mombassa showed superior early speed, but quit badly in the stretch. Magazine, prominent for half the journey, dropped out as if short. The winner was entered for \$1,000; no bid.

Scratched—76214 Long Ball, 98.

Overweights—Arasee, 3 pounds.

76584 FIFTH RACE—5 1/2 Furlongs. (21644—1:06—2—103.) \$500 added. 2-year-olds. Allowances. Net value to winner \$550.

76500	THE PIPPIN	W	106	10	6	6 ²	6 ²	5 ¹	G Burns	NewcastleStable	9	15	3	5	1-5	
76104	WAPONUCA	W	113	8	7	6 ²	7 ³	6 ⁵	5 ⁴	Lang	T Monahan	10	15	4	1	5
76129	SIR JOHN	W	101	13	5	5 ¹	5 ¹	4 ¹	McCahey	P J Dwyer	10	10	8	3	8-5	
76777	WAGON	W	101	2	10	11	11	10	Sullivan	ElkwoodPksStable	7	8	6	2	1	
76924	TOM HAYWARD	W	107	1	3	10	10	9	W Miller	T Williams	10	25	25	4	1	
76549	HOMECREST	WB	101	1	3	9 ¹	8 ¹	8 ¹	B Dugan	A J Joyner	10	10	4	2	2	
76551	DEMETRIOS	W	101	4	12	12	12	10	A Lee	J F Bartlett	20	20	20	8	4	
76540	ROSEBUSH	W	114	7	11	10	10	10	Kramer	PatchogueStable	10	12	10	4	2	
76465	ED WRAY	W	104	12	9	10	10	12	Musgr	B E Carroll	10	10	10	4	2	
	ARDENIA	W	98	11	12	13	13	13	Clements	Clements	15	15	15	6	3	

FORT ERIE FORM CHART.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1908.

WEATHER CLEAR.

TRACK HEAVY.

Twentieth day. Niagara Racing Association. Summer Meeting of 30 days. (29 books on.)

Presiding Judge, Joseph A. Murphy. Starter, A. B. Dade. Secretary, E. W. Maginn.

Racing starts at 2:45 p. m. (Chicago time 1:45 p. m.). W indicates whip, S spurs, B blinkers. Figures in parentheses following the distance of each race indicate index number, track record, age of horse and weight carried.

76586 FIRST RACE—5.8 Mile. (57358—1:00 $\frac{1}{2}$ —2—94.) Purses \$400. 2-year-olds. Maidens. Colts and Geldings. Allowances. Net value to winner \$300.

Ind	Horses	A	W	P	P	S	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S
76544	MICHAEL ANGELO	W	108	5	2	3	11	12	Troxler	G Hendrie	7-5	7-5	4-5	1-3	1-6
76571	THE EARL	WB	105	10	9	5	11	12	Kennedy	B & O Stable	6	8	8	2	9-10
76580	AUTOMATIC	WB	108	7	3	3	11	12	Foley	M A Neff	30	75	10	2	10
76447	BROADSIDE	W	108	2	3	11	12	13	V Powers	L A Cella	21	49	9	1	1-2
76485	YANKEE VIDEETTE	W	108	3	4	6	11	12	Glasner	G W J Bissell	60	80	30	12	12
76175	HIGH ORMONDE	W	108	6	4	2	11	12	T Rice	I H Miller	15	15	15	6	23
76524	WAMBO	WB	105	9	10	7	11	12	F Burton	A G Weston	30	30	20	7	23
75826	M. MAGINN	WB	108	8	8	8	11	12	Pickens	C H Chambers	60	60	60	20	19
76534	PHILOSPHER	W	108	4	5	9	10	11	W Ott	M Welsh	7	7	2	4-5	5
76593	TITHONOGEN	W	108	1	7	10	10	10	Morland	D T Morris	30	75	75	25	12

Time, 25:1, 1:05.

Winner—Ch. c. by Ormus—May Angelo (trained by J. Walters).

Went to post at 2:45. At post 6 minutes. Start good. Won easily; second and third driving. Michael Angelo followed the early pacemakers closely until straightened out in the stretch, where he finished with a rush and drew away into an easy lead at the finish. The Earl broke slowly and was carried wide on every turn, but finished gamely under a drive and was going faster than the winner at the end. Automatic showed the most speed in the early running, but tired in the last furlong. Broadside outbroke the others, but was taken back. Yankee Videette finished well. High Ormonde showed speed, but failed to stay.

Scratched—76040 Hank, 108; 76337 Joe Nolan, 108; 76505 Ramsy, 105.

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TELEGRAPHIC FORM.

The horses which seem best in Wednesday's races are:

Empire City—Yonkers, N. Y., August 18.
1—Kaganan, Fashion Plate, Wise Mason.
2—Bad News, Court of Arms, Lord Stanhope.
3—Homecrest, Fashion Plate, Connaught Ranger.
4—Sponner, Jack Atkin, Cressina.
5—Alauda, Cymbal, Robert Cooper.
6—Don Enrique, Besom, James H. Brady.
H. Forsland.

The Meadows—Seattle, Wash., August 18.
1—Blondy, Hidden Hand, Taser.
2—Golden Oriole, Listowel, S. C. Hildreth entry.
3—Kerry, Nagazam, Fireball.
4—Harmakis, Day Star, Johnstown.
5—Orifamb, Bud Embury, Prestige.
6—La Rose, Walter Miller, Romanoff.
J. R. Jeffery.

Fort Erie—Fort Erie, Ont., August 18.

1—Anne McGee, Arionette, Miss Crittenden.
2—McAllister, Lights Out, Woodside.
3—Elizabeth Harwood, Jolly, Irigator.
4—Dennis Stafford, Senator Garrett, Night Mist.
5—La Fayette, Warner Griswell, Golf Ball.
6—Estella C. Utterance, Keep Moving.
7—Tom Dolan, Goes Fast, Cave Adsum.
T. K. Lynch.

STEEPLECHASE FOLKS SARATOGA FAILURE.

New York, August 18.—The steeplechase owners gave worse than poor support to the recent Saratoga meeting. There were but twenty-six starters in nine races. In four but two horses were sent to the post. Three were free-horse affairs. In one four came to the post and the record was made the seventh day of the meeting, when a field of five was seen. In the nine races fourteen different horses were shown, which tells of the repeating that was done. The field is one of the best in the country and the management has always been extremely liberal in inducements for jumpers.
Some horses were shipped to Saratoga and used the field to gallop in, but not in races. Others simply remained in New York waiting for the Empire City meeting to be run at Brighton. Now that Yonkers is to be the scene of action, there will not be any jumping races during the Empire meeting. If steeplechasing is to continue new owners of a broader caliber must be brought into the game.

NEWPORT RACE TRACK PLAN TAKES SHAPE.

New York, August 18.—Local racing men are taking a great interest in the Newport, R. I., racing venture. The ground is being held under an option.

It is proposed to open the new track next season. Besides the aristocratic racing element at Newport said to be behind the present plans, wealthy New York and eastern state business men are declared to be supporting the proposition, although the latter have never been known to be racing men. They have declared, however, that a properly conducted racing establishment would not be objected to by Rhode Island authorities.

LOUISIANA LEGISLATION MAY CONFLICT.

It is certain that racing will be attempted at New Orleans the coming winter. The Locke law, which went into effect in the middle of July last, turns out to have had no repealing clause and therefore does not repeal any former legislation. There is said to be an old law on the statute books of Louisiana which permits betting on racing in Louisiana. If this is correct, there is a conflict of law for the courts to settle, but in the meantime the new law can hardly prevail over the old law. Apparently a period of inaction is created.

BALLOT READY FOR THE EMPIRE.

New York, August 18.—James R. Keene's famous Kentucky Association today agreed upon seven days of fall racing and selected as dates September 19 to 26. Betting will be by pari-mutuels, with \$5 and \$2 machines and no auction pools. Purses will be \$400.

LEXINGTON RACING DATES SELECTED.

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ENGLISH BROODMARES FOR ARGENTINA.

Messrs. Haggin and Keene will meet with English competition in South America. The London Sportsman of August 4 W. Allison writes:
"The first special consignment of English broodmares for Buenos Ayres, ten in number, will be shipped before the end of the current month, and I hear by cable from Buenos Ayres that the prospects of business are brilliant."
"Twelve yearlings, which have been rounded up at Cobham, will leave that stud tomorrow (August

5) on their way to Liverpool, from which port they will be shipped on or about the eighth instant on board the Lamport and Holt steamship Belgrano. They are consigned to W. Young, of Montevideo, and are intended for racing in that country.

The twelve are fine, well-grown yearlings, and quite likely to do well in their new country. Mr. Young bought a number of yearlings in this country in 1906, and several of them have turned out well enough to induce him to repeat the experiment.

It is no easy matter to ship stock to South American ports, there being such endless formalities to observe, most of them being quite useless from a practical point of view. But any omission is visited for animals newly landed from a three-weeks voyage. An additional trouble in landing them at Montevideo is that they have to be swung overboard into lighters, and there is often a good deal of shofion on the sea at that point. Some progress, however, had been made with harbor works when I was last there, and it is possible that the Belgrano may be able to disembark cargo at a quayside."

NOTES OF THE TURF.

The Fort Erie meeting closes on Saturday of next week and Montreal opens the same day.

Fred Burlew may take that gay deceiver, Chapultepec, to France with him. He can well be spared. Joe Kelly, the B. & O. Stable's assistant trainer, goes with Burlew.

A lot of work is being done at Windsor and the track will look like a new one next summer. George Hendrie is looking after the improvements and has a large force busy.

The attitude of the New York Herald has been most fair and even friendly to racing since the Hughes crusade began and should be remembered no matter what the future brings forth.

Capt. Fred Presgrave had been looking over Dennis Stafford's place in New York.

treacher, who is one of the most prominent citizens of Canada, when the Nugents stepped in and paid \$1,700 for him.

Mr. Frank Hitchcock and Mr. R. T. Wilson, Jr., both said they were greatly pleased at the way the public had supported the Saratoga meeting and there was a general feeling that the darkest days for the turf were over.—New York Herald.

Christopher J. Fitzgerald, president of Brighton Beach and managing director of the Montreal Jockey Club, is reported as being seriously ill with pleurisy at his home in Brooklyn. Mr. Fitzgerald is subject to attacks of this nature, and some years ago his life was despaired of at New Orleans.

It will be remembered that a year ago it was said that Mr. Butler had taken Joseph L. Rhinock, L. A. Cella, Ed Corrigan and other westerners into partnership with him, but that Mr. Butler stoutly denied the assertion. Mr. Butler spoke by the card when he said that he owned and controlled more than eighty per cent. of the stock of the Empire City Racing Association.—New York Sun.

At Fort Erie it is accepted as a sure thing that Louis Cella has sold his interests in Latonia to Julius Fleischman. It would be good news if all interested in Latonia had sold to our former mayor.

It is said that Mr. Cella is willing to sell for what he paid for the stock he owns. He paid \$230 a share and there are present conditions it would be hard to find any one that would pay that much for stock in the Latonia track.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SEATTLE ENTRIES.

Probabilities: Weather clear; track fast.
Racing starts at 2 p. m. (Chicago time, 4 p. m.)
Runs well in mud. Superior mud runner.

First Race—3.4 Mile. (Track record: 76362—1:11 $\frac{1}{2}$ —7—100.)
3-year-olds and upward. Selling.

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76454	Blondy	106	1:12 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	127	725
76515	Nappa	105	1:13 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	119	720
76574	Catfish	100	1:14 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	101	715
76577	Hidden Hand	110	1:13	3	116	715
76512	Taxer	109	1:13 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	124	715
76456	Wm Tromp	110	1:14 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	119	710
76504	Escatnado	121	1:14	6	119	710
76511	Royal Queen	109	1:14 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	109	710
76512	Yank	129	1:14 $\frac{1}{2}$	3	108	705
76530	Deneen	100	1:14	3	108	705
76304	Sharp Boy	100	1:14	6	116	700
76523	Jockey Mounce	97	1:18	3	103	700

Second Race—5.8 Mile. (Track record: 76579—1:00 $\frac{1}{2}$ —4—102.)

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76474	GOLDEN ORIOLE	98	1:00	3	102	725
76579	"	107	1:00	3	102	725
76493	Micela	107	1:00	3	102	715
76575	Miss Worth	105	1:01	3	102	715
76474	Listowel	107	1:00	3	102	710
76533	Maid of Gotham	107	1:00	3	102	705
76573	Tanana	102	1:00	3	102	700
76510	Nome Cult	92	1:00	3	102	695
76511	Belle of Menard	92	1:00	3	102	695
76511	ch. f. by John Baker II	92	1:00	3	102	695
76511	of Springfield	92	1:00	3	102	695
76511	S. C. Hildreth entry.	92	1:00	3	102	695

Third Race—5.1.2 Furlongs. (Track record: 76440—1:05—3—92.)

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76554	Nagazam	109	1:07	5	102	725
76539	Fireball	104	1:05	6	109	720
76554	Kerry	104	1:06	3	97	715
76580	Burdigh	121	1:06	3	102	715
76579	Burning Bush	94	1:06	4	100	710
76559	Plausible	107	1:08	4	94	710
76579	Lady King	107	1:10	5	92	705
76514	May Pink	95	1:10	5	91	700

Fourth Race—1 Mile and 50 Yards. (Track record: August 11, 1906—1:41 $\frac{1}{2}$ —4—107.)

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76533	Johnstown	109	1:43 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	107	725
76558	Harmakis	104	1:43	3	104	720
76529	Josie S.	106	1:43	4	100	715
76593	Azora	104	1:44	5	102	715
76582	Day Star	103	1:43	4	108	715
76514	Midmont	103	1:43	5	104	710
76513	Belle	107	1:44	3	107	710
76536	Miss Mazzoni	93	1:44	3	91	710
76532	My Bouquet	101	1:43	5	102	705
76588	Eckersall	112	1:43	6	107	700
76515	Altar Boy	105	1:43	3	88	700
76514	The Englishman	113	1:43	6	107	690

Fifth Race—7.8 Mile. (Track record: 76415—1:25—5—104.)

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76435	Ebel Thatcher	106	1:20	5	109	725
76570	Prestige	110	1:27	6	112	720
76500	Prince Nap	109	1:28	5	109	715
76511	Billy Watkins	100	1:27	5	109	715
76496	John C. Graus	107	1:27	5	109	710
76586	Hazelle	107	1:27	4	107	710
76421	Orifamb	99	1:27	4	101	710
76534	Dredger	96	1:30	3	104	705
76477	Marpassa	105	1:32	5	102	705
76518	Wise Child	111	1:27	3	104	700

Sixth Race—7.8 Mile. (Track record: 76415—1:25—5—104.)

Ind.	Horse.	Wt.	Rec.	A.	Wt.	Hdp.
76511	Slippery	112	1:28	3	104	725
76534	Walter Miller	112	1:28	3	104	720
59032	Doctor C.	106	1:12	3	112	715
76529	Aftermath	107	1:29	4	109	715
76533	Dr. Crook	107	1:29	4	109	710
76529	La Rose	100	1:29	4	107	710
76477	Celeres	100	1:29	4	107	710
76496	Christmastide	99	1:29	4	107	705
76576	Romanoff	99	1:29	4	107	705
76497	Bazzini	99	1:29	4	107	700
76576	Santo Romano	99	1:29	4	107	700
76497	Head Dance	107	1:28	6	112	695

The figures under "Rec." in above entries show the best time made by the horse at the distance, with weight carried, since January 1, 1906. This time is not necessarily made by a winner. It may be the estimated time of a losing performance.

76587 SECOND RACE—5.1.2 Furlongs. (76313—1:00 $\frac{1}{2}$ —4—112.) Purses \$400. 2-year-olds. Selling. Net value to winner \$300.

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Ind	Horses	A	W	P	P	S	Str	Fin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	C	P	S	
76504	GERRYMANDER	W	106	5	3	3	11	12	V Powers	L A Cella	4	5	3	4-5	2-5	
76485	ANEMONELLA	WSB	108	10	10	8	7	11	21k	Morland	A L Darnaby	7	10	9	3	7-5
76487	ZEOLA	W	109	4	6	1	11	12	21k	Glasner	D T Morris	30	40	40	10	5
76505	SAINISTER	W	105	2	1	2	11	12	21k	Pickens	B Schreiber	4	5	1	8-5	1-10
76503	JOE GAITHERS	W	107	1	1	2	11	12	21k	Kennedy	P T Chinn	6-5	7-5	1	1-2	1-5
76522	DOROTHY WEBB	WS	105	7	7	7	11	12	21k	T Rice	W M Carroll	15	25	25	7	2-2
76255	HIGH HAT	W	105	8	9	9	6	8	7	C Ross	M C Ricketts	10	15	15	5	5
76486	EXOTICALONG	WSB	108	10	10	8	7	11	21k	P Burton	G Shields	20	30	30	7	2-2
76541	SIR PATALON	W	105	3	5	5	9	9	9	W Ott	W Shields	30	60	60	20	8
76486	ICARIA	W	106	9	8	8	10	10	10	Troxler	G W J Bissell	30	30	30	8	4

